House Amendment 1592

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           Amend House File 700 as follows:
           #1. Page 49, by inserting after line 5, the
     3 following:
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              _. 2003 Iowa Acts, House File 619, section
     5 7, subsection 4, paragraph b, if enacted, is amended
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     6 to read as follows:
           b. Pharmacies and providers that are enrolled in
     8 the medical assistance program shall make available
     9 drug acquisition cost information, product
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  1 10 availability information, and other information deemed
  1 11 necessary by the department for the determination of
  1 12 reimbursement rates and the efficient operation of the
  1 13 pharmacy benefit. Pharmacies and providers shall 1 14 produce and submit the requested information in the
  1 15 manner and format requested by the department or its
    16 designee at no cost to the department or designee.
17 Pharmacies and providers shall submit information to
  1 18 the department or its designee within thirty days
    19 following receipt of a request for information unless
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    20 the department or its designee grants an extension
  1 21 upon written request of the pharmacy or provider.
  1 22 Notwithstanding the required provision of information
    23 by pharmacies and providers under this paragraph, if 24 the department is able to obtain any of the
  1 25 information required to be provided under this
    26 paragraph in an alternative manner, through which the 27 department is ensured of the validity and accuracy of
    28 the information and of the timely submission of the
    29 information, the department may instead obtain the
    30 information in the alternative manner. Chapter 550
    31 shall apply to the information provided by pharmacies
    32 and providers under this paragraph. >
           #2. By renumbering as necessary.
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